

Table VIII.B.2 Percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2017

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	84.5%	68.4%	82.4%	90.5%	96.6%
New England:					
Connecticut	86.1%	67.2%	84.6%	94.9%	97.3%
Maine	79.5%	51.9%	80.7%	91.2%	93.9%
Massachusetts	90.2%	74.8%	91.9%	97.6%	96.4%
New Hampshire	83.8%	66.8%	80.6%	88.1%	97.1%
Rhode Island	86.1%	65.5%	87.7%	93.1%	98.0%
Vermont	74.6%	63.1%	64.9%	81.8%	88.5%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	85.3%	68.6%	85.0%	91.1%	96.4%
New York	87.5%	73.3%	83.4%	94.4%	98.6%
Pennsylvania	87.6%	66.4%	90.8%	94.7%	98.4%
East North Central:					
Illinois	86.7%	72.1%	80.8%	97.1%	96.7%
Indiana	81.6%	61.8%	78.1%	88.7%	97.7%
Michigan	85.2%	65.2%	84.1%	93.5%	97.5%
Ohio	85.8%	66.5%	84.8%	94.6%	97.0%
Wisconsin	82.6%	63.1%	78.4%	93.0%	95.7%
West North Central:					
Iowa	83.6%	66.4%	81.7%	88.7%	97.3%
Kansas	84.5%	68.8%	80.0%	94.2%	94.7%
Minnesota	82.9%	60.4%	81.0%	93.8%	96.3%
Missouri	86.3%	65.7%	87.9%	93.6%	97.9%
Nebraska	81.9%	59.2%	80.4%	93.5%	94.1%
North Dakota	83.7%	59.4%	86.8%	91.8%	96.1%
South Dakota	81.8%	58.4%	82.9%	96.7%	89.3%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	83.4%	69.8%	78.0%	89.4%	95.8%
District of Columbia	92.3%	86.1%	89.4%	94.4%	99.1%
Florida	82.9%	67.2%	84.5%	86.4%	93.5%
Georgia	82.1%	71.0%	77.8%	81.9%	97.3%
Maryland	87.3%	74.0%	84.7%	93.5%	96.9%
North Carolina	79.1%	65.2%	73.1%	85.8%	92.4%
South Carolina	84.2%	70.0%	84.8%	86.0%	95.6%
Virginia	84.5%	65.2%	87.7%	87.9%	97.1%
West Virginia	83.5%	64.0%	81.8%	91.9%	96.0%
East South Central:					
Alabama	84.9%	68.4%	84.7%	90.9%	95.3%
Kentucky	87.2%	69.3%	87.5%	94.2%	97.0%
Mississippi	85.4%	74.8%	84.3%	87.2%	94.6%
Tennessee	86.6%	79.8%	81.9%	87.5%	97.2%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	78.6%	60.2%	75.7%	84.9%	92.7%
Louisiana	85.3%	72.5%	84.4%	89.4%	94.8%
Oklahoma	82.7%	68.2%	75.5%	89.7%	97.2%
Texas	85.0%	75.3%	78.3%	88.7%	97.6%
Mountain:					
Arizona	87.4%	74.5%	84.5%	92.7%	97.5%
Colorado	82.6%	62.3%	80.9%	90.4%	96.5%
Idaho	74.5%	59.9%	60.6%	84.7%	92.0%
Montana	73.2%	43.2%	67.0%	86.1%	95.9%
Nevada	86.2%	74.8%	84.8%	89.7%	95.2%
New Mexico	79.9%	66.3%	75.7%	78.9%	98.2%
Utah	79.7%	56.1%	75.1%	90.0%	96.5%
Wyoming	69.5%	48.6%	64.5%	75.7%	88.6%
Pacific:					
Alaska	72.5%	49.3%	66.1%	86.8%	87.0%
California	83.8%	69.1%	82.2%	86.8%	96.7%
Hawaii	92.1%	74.5%	97.0%	99.6%	97.4%
Oregon	77.7%	51.7%	77.9%	84.0%	96.8%
Washington	84.5%	61.9%	83.6%	93.6%	98.9%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2017 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

Table VIII.B.2 Standard errors for percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2017

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.23%	0.76%	0.56%	0.44%	0.23%
New England:					
Connecticut	1.13%	3.96%	2.93%	1.61%	0.93%
Maine	1.50%	4.70%	3.80%	2.16%	1.83%
Massachusetts	1.09%	3.81%	2.31%	1.16%	1.38%
New Hampshire	1.38%	4.66%	3.58%	3.45%	0.98%
Rhode Island	1.36%	4.50%	2.76%	2.18%	1.18%
Vermont	1.77%	4.53%	5.00%	3.01%	3.24%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	1.26%	3.71%	2.93%	2.82%	1.34%
New York	0.96%	3.28%	2.33%	1.49%	0.60%
Pennsylvania	0.93%	3.77%	1.70%	1.27%	0.60%
East North Central:					
Illinois	1.17%	4.22%	3.39%	1.08%	1.50%
Indiana	2.36%	7.64%	4.37%	2.29%	0.99%
Michigan	1.58%	5.11%	3.27%	1.70%	1.44%
Ohio	1.06%	3.79%	2.59%	1.39%	0.98%
Wisconsin	1.34%	4.78%	3.77%	1.74%	1.66%
West North Central:					
Iowa	1.38%	4.53%	2.94%	2.90%	0.97%
Kansas	1.33%	4.45%	3.66%	1.61%	2.08%
Minnesota	1.47%	4.37%	3.51%	1.98%	1.40%
Missouri	1.51%	4.33%	2.94%	1.78%	1.12%
Nebraska	1.56%	4.94%	4.11%	2.33%	1.75%
North Dakota	1.31%	4.45%	2.53%	2.52%	1.44%
South Dakota	1.35%	4.16%	3.62%	1.08%	2.58%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	1.66%	4.62%	4.78%	3.07%	1.79%
District of Columbia	1.20%	4.62%	2.45%	1.70%	0.53%
Florida	1.24%	3.96%	2.48%	3.01%	1.84%
Georgia	1.52%	4.86%	4.19%	3.76%	1.34%
Maryland	1.26%	4.50%	3.01%	1.84%	1.26%
North Carolina	1.35%	4.06%	3.87%	2.39%	2.23%
South Carolina	1.20%	3.85%	2.56%	2.58%	1.43%
Virginia	1.84%	5.83%	3.25%	3.07%	1.12%
West Virginia	1.35%	4.16%	3.04%	2.14%	1.47%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1.31%	3.92%	2.87%	2.72%	1.82%
Kentucky	1.15%	4.24%	2.83%	1.78%	1.11%
Mississippi	1.38%	4.29%	3.95%	2.88%	1.91%
Tennessee	1.14%	3.21%	3.34%	2.63%	1.34%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	2.26%	4.77%	6.20%	3.47%	2.91%
Louisiana	1.29%	3.85%	3.30%	2.93%	1.55%
Oklahoma	1.37%	4.15%	4.16%	2.50%	0.95%
Texas	0.84%	2.56%	2.48%	1.68%	0.68%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1.28%	3.86%	3.04%	2.22%	1.13%
Colorado	1.39%	4.38%	3.40%	2.54%	1.33%
Idaho	1.82%	4.66%	4.60%	3.60%	3.14%
Montana	1.95%	5.31%	4.12%	3.99%	1.35%
Nevada	1.33%	4.05%	3.55%	2.61%	1.67%
New Mexico	1.60%	4.43%	3.96%	4.04%	0.82%
Utah	1.55%	5.10%	4.36%	2.73%	1.35%
Wyoming	2.06%	6.09%	4.96%	4.12%	2.93%
Pacific:					
Alaska	1.92%	5.20%	5.91%	2.58%	3.70%
California	0.92%	2.66%	2.27%	2.20%	0.72%
Hawaii	3.09%	10.16%	1.23%	0.44%	1.50%
Oregon	1.72%	4.81%	5.13%	3.06%	1.08%
Washington	1.27%	3.99%	3.13%	1.76%	0.70%

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